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Commune Concilium tentum in Camera

Guildhald Ciuitatis London decimo ſexto die Decembris, anno regni Dom' noſtri Iacobi Dei gratia Angliæ, Scotiæ, Franciæ, & Hibern', Regis fidei defenſoris &c. viz. Angliæ, Franciæ & Hiberniæ decimo quinto, & Scotiæ quinquageſimo primo, coram *Georgio Bolles* Maiore Ciuitatis præd', Anthonio Benn Milite eiuſdem Ciuitatis Recordatore, Thoma Bennet Milite, Thoma Low Milite, VVillielmo Crauen Milite, Iohanne Iolles Milite, Iohanne Leman milite, Sebaſtiano Haruie milite, Willielmo Cockaine milite, & Franciſco Iones milite & Aldermannis, Edwardo Barkham, Edwardo Rotheram, Alexandro Preſcot, Thoma Bennet iunior', Henrico Iay, Petro Proby, Willielmo Gore, Iohanne Gore, Allano Cotton, & Cuthberto Hacket Aldermannis, & VVillielmo Halliday & Roberto Iohnſon Aldermannis eiuſdem Ciuitatis Vicecomes, Necnon maiore parte Communiariorum Ciuitatis prædict' de communi Conſilio eiuſdem Ciuitatis exiſtent' aſſemblant'. &c.

FOr the glory of God, and for the better ordering of the buſineſſe that falls incidently on the day of S. Thomas the Apoſtle, being this yeare the Lords Sabbath: And to the end that for all future times, the buſineſſe that hath heretofore beene handled vpon S. Thomas day, may giue place whenſoeuer the ſaid day of S. Thomas ſhall fall vpon the Sabbath day, Be it ordained and eſtabliſhed by authority of this common Councell, That the Courts of Wardemote within the City of London and the liberties thereof, heretofore vſually houlden vpon that day, ſhall for this yeare be holden vpon Monday next after the feaſt of S. Thomas the Apoſtle now next comming: And ſhall for euer hereafter, whenſoeuer the ſame feaſt ſhall happen to fall vpon the Sabbath day, be holden vpon the Monday next after the ſame feaſt, & not vpon the ſame feaſt day. Any ordinance, cuſtome or vſages to the contrary in any wiſe notwithſtanding. And it is further ordayned, and eſtabliſhed by authority aforeſaid, That all elections of Officers, and other acts and proceedings in any the Courts of Wardemote within the ſaid City and liberties to bee holden vpon Monday, as aforeſaid, ſhall bee as ſufficient, and of as great force, ſtrength and effect, as if the ſame elections, acts and proceedings, had been vpon the ordinary day of S. Thomas the Apoſtle.

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